

Flood Planning and Resilience Guide

Hyde County, North Carolina



Prepare Your Property Before A Flood

Purchase Federal Flood Insurance to protect your home and your business.

Get coverage through the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).

Inventory the contents of your home to prove your losses to your insurer.

Provide photographs or video to document major household items and valuables.

Floodproof your home.

- Elevate electrical and HVAC components above base flood elevation.
- Clear debris from gutters and downspouts.
- Store chemicals and fertilizers above the level of base flood elevation.

Be ready for re-entry on Ocracoke Island.

Apply for re-entry permit to return to the island before it is reopened to the public.

For more details, get the *Hyde County Flood Planning and Resilience Guide*.

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